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REGENERATION
Planting
Containers
(Types of Container Test)

June 1958

ESTABLISHMENT REPORT

TYPES OF CONTAINER TEST

The installation of the types of container test was completed on May 23, 1958 on an eastern aspect near the Headquarters tract and according to plan. All the planting was done by the "Little Beaver" powered auger with men from the Town Creek planting crew. The weather was extremely warm (over 90° F.) during the planting operations.

The area planted is an old field once planted to alfalfa but abandoned many years ago. It was plowed in the fall of 1957 and thoroughly harrowed in early May 1958.

The planting was made in three blocks (see enclosed sketch) although a fourth one was planted in the extreme western part of the area with varying numbers of individual containers. These can be used for root examinations if it is desired. In the other three blocks, eight of each kind were planted and randomized by rows. These different kinds of containers with 1-year-old ponderosa pine in them, together with 2-0 stock of the same species are listed and briefly described below.

Container Types

A - 12"	Map tubes
B - 16"	Map tubes
C - 10" x 1"	Brown
D - 10" x 1"	Black
E - 12" x 1"	Brown
F - 12" x 1"	Black
G - 18" x 1"	Brown

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H -	18" x 1"	Black
I -	10" x 2"	Brown
J -	10" x 2"	Black
K -	12" x 2"	Brown
L -	12" x 2"	Black
M -	18" x 2"	Brown
N -	18" x 2"	Black
O -	12" x 1-3/4"	Tar Paper - light

Shortly after planting the area was fenced so as to be sheep-proof and a style constructed for easy access.

The sketch of the physical layout is attached.

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This block planted as an "extra" to be used for root studies. Not a part of randomized block experiment. IV

Stock O N M L K J I H G F E D C B A

III

A I E Stock H F K B C J M G O L N D

-N-

II

K N D I A H C Stock B L E M G F J O

This block not planted due to rocky soil.

This block containes very rocky soil. I

N A E I F B J M Stock H C K D G O L